



### Did you know? JOB POSTINGS

As of September 2012 job postings specifically for Spelman Alumnae are posted immediately to Spelman Lane LinkedIn ([www.linkedin.com/in/spelmanlane](http://www.linkedin.com/in/spelmanlane)).

Contact: [alumnaecareerservices@spelman.edu](mailto:alumnaecareerservices@spelman.edu)

### Did you know? SPELMAN MESSENGER

The *Spelman Messenger* is published twice a year free of charge for alumnae, donors, trustees and friends of the College.

- The *Spelman Messenger* is available online: Go to [www.spelman.edu](http://www.spelman.edu), click 'Spelman Messenger' under the 'Spelman Publications' heading at the bottom of the page
- Submission Deadline for the Fall Issue: January 1 – May 31
- Submission Deadline for the Spring Issue: June 1 – December 31
- Send submissions to: [spelmanmessenger@spelman.edu](mailto:spelmanmessenger@spelman.edu) or mail to Office of Alumnae Affairs  
350 Spelman Lane, SW, Box 304  
Atlanta, GA 30314

### ALUMNAE G.O.A.L.S.

#### Global Engagement through Innovative Programming

- Alumnae engage in programming to support students and participate in activities that broaden their own global perspective

#### Ongoing Support for Spelman

- Alumnae are actively engaged in meaningful activities that support the goals and objectives of the College

#### Alumnae Connections for Students (Mentoring and Support)

- Alumnae actively participate in a well-developed mentoring process that connects them with current and prospective students

#### Leadership Development and Life-Long Opportunities

- Opportunities exist for alumnae to participate in a variety of learning opportunities that support their continued growth and development

#### Service and Community Engagement

- Community engagement and development model exists to ensure all constituents are able to participate in community revitalization efforts

### SPELMAN COLLEGE HYMN

Words and music by  
Mrs. Eddy Money Shivery, C'34

Spelman, thy name we praise  
Standards and honor raise,  
We'll ever faithful be  
Throughout eternity.  
May peace with thee abide  
And God forever guide  
Thy heights supreme and true.  
Blessings to you.

Through years of toil and pain  
May thy dear walls remain  
Beacons of heavenly light,  
Undaunted by the fight;  
And when life's race is won,  
Thy noble work is done,  
Oh God, forever bind  
Our hearts to thine.



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*A Choice to Change the World*

## OFFICE OF ALUMNAE AFFAIRS



### MISSION STATEMENT

The Office of Alumnae Affairs represents the interests and needs of our diverse alumnae by affirming the history and traditions of the College through innovative programs and services that strengthen alumnae ties and encourages lifelong support of **our alma mater**.

## Did you know? VOLUNTEERING

In Fall 2012 we launched the Spelman MVP Volunteer Program for alumnae and students. Now, every time you volunteer with the Office of Alumnae Affairs you are considered one of our Most Valuable Partners! Volunteer opportunities include MLK Day of Service, Founders Day, Reunion, History and Traditions/New Student Orientation, Homecoming, and the Sister 2 Sister.

Contact: [volunteer@spelman.edu](mailto:volunteer@spelman.edu)



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## IMPORTANT FACTS

- The Office of Alumnae Affairs serves more than 16,000 alumnae
- The National Alumnae Association of Spelman College (NAASC) is a separate non-profit 501(c)(3) dues paying organization that supports the College
- The Spelman motto is “Our Whole School for Christ” and our tag line is “A Choice to Change the World”
- You are considered an alumna of Spelman College when you have completed 12 semester hours
- The correct singular reference is “an alumna” (pronounced /a-lum-nuh)
- The correct plural reference is “alumnae” (pronounced /alum-nee)
- “Granddaughters” of Spelman are Spelman women whose mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, or cousin attended Spelman
- The traditional white dress attire is a solid white dress or a skirt suit; flesh-toned hosiery; black closed-toe shoes; and functional jewelry only, i.e. wristwatch or rings
- Sisters Chapel and Founders Day is the correct name and spelling for these two events
- Class years should be written as follows:  
**Lauverne Leppile, C’12 (i.e. Class of 1912)**  
*before year 2000*  
**OR**  
**Jelmenia Jammon, C’2012 (i.e. Class of 2012)**  
*year 2000 and after*

## HOW CAN WE HELP YOU?

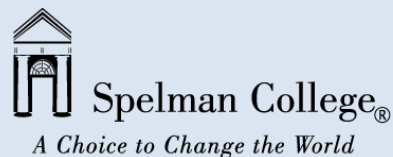
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## EVENTS, PROGRAMS, AND SERVICES

- Founders Day
- Reunion
- History & Traditions/New Student Orientation
- Homecoming
- Sister 2 Sister Professional Mentoring Program
- Spelman MVP Volunteer Program
- Regional Engagements
- Alumnae-Student Cultural Excursions
- Alumnae Career Services
- Alumnae Global Travel Program

In addition to our work with alumnae, the Office of Alumnae Affairs advises the Granddaughters Club (GDC) and the Pre-Alumnae Council (PAC).



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